

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Prior App.	:	3736

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Enclosed is form PTO-1449 listing 39 references cited in one or more parent applications, including Application No. 10/005,711, filed November 8, 2001, now Patent No. 6,678,543, which is a continuation of Application No. 09/451,151, filed November 30, 1999, now Patent No. 6,397,091, which is a continuation of Application No. 09/016,924, filed on February 2, 1998, now Patent No. 6,011,986, which is a continuation of Application No. 08/478, filed on June 7, 1995, now Patent No. 5,758,644 all of which are relied upon for an earlier filing date under 35 U.S.C. § 120. Copies of the references are not submitted pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(d).

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Respectfully submitted,

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	8.	4,308,456	12/29/81	Van Der Gaag et al.			
	9.	4,346,590	8/31/82	Brown			
	10.	4,407,290	10/4/83	Wilber			
	11.	4,449,821	5/22/84	Lee			
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	14.	4,621,643	11/11/86	New, Jr. et al.			
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	31.	5,397,247	3/95	Aoki, et al.			
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	33.	5,758,644	6/98	Diab et al.			
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	36.	88/10462	29-12-88	PCT				
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